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25 FEB.

QUOTE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OVIP(ROCKEFELLER, NELSON A.) AS

SUBJECT: VICE PRESIDENTIAL VISIT

REF: STATE 041787

1. GOA HAS PROPOSED VARIOUS CHANGES IN THE SCHEDULE FOR  
VICE PRESIDENT AND MRS. ROCKEFELLER'S VISIT. AS OF FEBRUARY  
25, SCHEDULE IS AS FOLLOWS:

2. TUESDAY, MARCH 30

12:25 A.M. ARRIVE CANBERRA  
(I HOPE THAT VICE PRESIDENT AND MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND  
MISS MURPHY WILL STAY AT THE RESIDENCE. ROOMS ARE  
RESERVED AT THE LAKESIDE HOTEL FOR THE REMAINDER OF  
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THE DELEGATION).

10:45 A.M. - 11:15 A.M. MEET WITH EMBASSY STAFF.

11:15 A.M. - 11:45 A.M. VICE PRESIDENT AND MRS. ROCKEFELLER VISIT WAR MEMORIAL;  
WREATH LAYING.

11:45 A.M. VICE PRESIDENT ROCKEFELLER DEPARTS FOR LAKESIDE HOTEL WHERE I PROPOSE THAT HE HOLD A PRESS CONFERENCE FROM 12 NOON TO 12:30 P.M. MRS. ROCKEFELLER COULD RETURN TO THE RESIDENCE.

12:45 P.M. OFFICIAL LUNCHEON GIVEN BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL, SIR JOHN KERR.

2:30 P.M. - 5:30 P.M. FREE TIME FOR SIGHTSEEING, SPORTS, SHOPPING, AS DESIRED.

5:30 P.M. - 7:00 P.M. RECEPTION AT RESIDENCE.  
(I PROPOSE THAT THE VICE PRESIDENT AND MRS. ROCKEFELLER STAY AT THE RECEPTION UNTIL 6:30 P.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT COULD THEN GO WITH ME AT 6:55 P.M. TO MEET WITH PRIME MINISTER FRASER AT THE LODGE (PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICIAL RESIDENCE) AT 7:00 P.M. THE PRIME MINISTER HAS REQUESTED THIS MEETING TIME BECAUSE PARLIAMENT IS IN SESSION AND HE ALSO HAS CABINET MEETINGS SCHEDULED THE ENTIRE WORKING DAY OF MARCH 30. I DO NOT KNOW YET WHAT OTHER MINISTERS, IF ANY, THE PRIME MINISTER WILL ASK TO BE WITH HIM).

7:45 MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND MY WIFE WILL COME TO THE LODGE FROM THE RESIDENCE.

8:00 P.M. OFFICIAL DINNER GIVEN BY PRIME MINISTER FRASER.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31

9:00 A.M. MEET WITH LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION GOUGH WHITLAM AT THE RESIDENCE. (TO BE CONFIRMED)

9:45 A.M. DEPART FOR AIRPORT.

10:00 A.M. HONOR GUARD, INSPECTION,  
FAREWELL BY THE PRIME MIN-  
ISTER OF AUSTRALIA AND MRS.  
FRASER.

10:10 A.M. DEPART CANBERRA.

10:50 A.M. ARRIVE AT SYDNEY.

12:00 NOON THE VICE PRESIDENT AND MRS.  
ROCKEFELLER WILL MEET WITH  
THE PREMIER OF NEW SOUTH  
WALES, SIR ERIC WILLIS AND  
LADY WILLIS.

12:30 P.M. GO TO GOVERNMENT HOUSE TO  
MEET WITH THE GOVERNOR OF  
NEW SOUTH WALES, SIR RODEN  
CUTLER AND LADY CUTLER.

12:45 P.M. LUNCHEON GIVEN BY SIR RODEN  
CUTLER AND LADY CUTLER.

2:30 P.M. - 7:30 P.M. NO OFFICIAL ENGAGEMENTS.  
(I SUGGEST THE VICE PRESIDENT AND MRS. ROCKEFELLER  
MIGHT LIKE TO VISIT THE SYDNEY OPERA HOUSE, TAKE  
A LAUNCH TOUR OF SYDNEY HARBOR, VISIT TARONGA PARK  
ZOO TO SEE AUSTRALIAN FAUNA. ALL OF THIS WOULD  
TAKE ABOUT TWO HOURS).

8:00 P.M. AUSTRALIAN-AMERICAN BICENTENNIAL  
BANQUET. VICE PRESIDENT MAKES  
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ADDRESS.

3. THE DRESS FOR THE DINNER GIVEN MARCH 30 BY THE PRIME  
MINISTER AND THE AUSTRALIAN-AMERICAN BANQUET ON  
MARCH 31 WILL BE BLACK TIE FOR THE MEN AND LONG DRESSES  
FOR THE LADIES. FOR OTHER OFFICIAL FUNCTIONS I SUGGEST  
DARK LOUNGE SUITS FOR THE MEN AND DRESSES FOR THE LADIES.  
I SUGGEST INFORMAL DRESS FOR THE AFTERNOONS OF MARCH  
30 AND 31.

4. THE GOVERNOR OF NEW SOUTH WALES HAS INVITED VICE  
PRESIDENT AND MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND MISS MURPHY TO STAY  
AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE IN SYDNEY. HOWEVER, THE GOA ORGAN-  
IZERS AND I BELIEVE IT WOULD BE BETTER FROM A SCHED-  
ULING AND SECURITY POINT OF VIEW IF THE VICE PRESIDENT

STAYED AT THE WENTWORTH HOTEL. THE GOA HAS BLOCKED A SUITE FOR HIS USE.

5. I SUGGEST THAT, IF THE VICE PRESIDENT STAYS AT THE WENTWORTH HOTEL, HE MIGHT WISH TO INVITE THE MAIN ORGANIZERS OF THE AUSTRALIAN-AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FESTIVAL TO MEET WITH HIM BRIEFLY BEFORE THE BANQUET.

6. PLEASE TELL US THE AGE OF MISS MALINDA MURPHY.  
HARGROVE

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